

Quarterly Newsletter

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Indoor winter storage and boat winterization available at Jordanelle Marina. To reserve a space or make an appointment call 435-615-7397. Entrance to the park is free when dropping off your boat for service or storage.

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Message from the Manager

2012 has flown by! I would like to publicly thank all the park staff and volunteers that worked so hard this past season. The park seemed to have more people, more events, and more fun than ever before! Camp hosts completed over 5,000 hours of work at the park. The US Coast Guard Auxiliary also completed around 5,000 hours on the water and ramp at Jordanelle. Maintenance, Rangers, and gate staff all were pushed to their limits, but were able to continue to provide a safe, clean, and professional experience for customers. The park survived four major incidents which included flooding of McHenry (which was repaired just in time for Memorial Day), a beetle infestation that threatened our spruce trees (700 trees were treated and saved), a wild wind storm that rocked the docks (staff wrestled and wrangled loose boats that broke free), and the Fox Bay Fire where the entire reservoir, campground, and day use areas were evacuated in about 4 hours (we believe an evacuation of this scale has not been done before in this state). The low water also presented some challenges. Again, thank you to the staff and volunteers and to all of **YOU** who choose to recreate at Jordanelle and make it your home away from home!



Laurie Backus

Park Manager

DRY STORAGE- Protect your boating investment this winter!

Jordanelle offers many options for dry storage.



- Jordanelle Rentals offers secure indoor dry storage. Prices vary. 435-615-7397 or go to www.jordanellerentals.com for more information and availability.
- Jordanelle State Park has spots available for secure outdoor dry storage. \$50/month from Nov-April. Call 435-649-9540 or stop by the park office.
- New for 2013! Non-motorized outdoor dry storage at the PWC ramp. We are still working on this project, but hope to have it installed and procedures in place soon!

Friends of Utah State Parks
has created Park Time Capsules
Be a part of it!



www.PARKTIMECAPSULES.COM

2012-13 Event Dates

HAILSTONE

January 18, 19, & 20: Klondike

January 25 & 26: Klondike

February 1 & 2: Klondike

February 15 & 16: Klondike

June 1: Perimeter Trail Race

July 13: Fire on the Water

July 27: H2O Overdrive SUP CUP (set up on Friday the 26th)

July 30 & July 31: Outdoor Retailers Open Air Demo (*Entire Day Use area will be affected & closed to the public.*)

Some areas will be closed on July 30th for set up.

TBA: Pau Hana PCSUP CUP race. *Stand up paddle board races in the day use area and wakeless areas near the Beach House and Cabanas 1-6, and Beach Pavilion.*

September TBA: PCSA Fall Regatta



ROCK CLIFF

October 20, 2012: Paddle-Peddle-Paddle Challenge. *Paddle board and mountain biking race. Rock Cliff Arm to Perimeter Trail at Rock Cliff and back. Spectators are welcome. Day use fees apply.*

June 22: Race Tri Rock Cliff Triathlon (set up on 21st)

August 3: Tri Utah Ultimate Challenge Triathlon Relay (Rock Cliff leg). *Public access will be limited during the afternoon.*

August 17: TriUtah Triathlon at Rock Cliff (set up on 16th)

October TBA: Rowing Regatta

Some scenes from the Park City Sailing
Association Fall Regatta held on Sept. 22.
Go to www.parkcitysailing.org for more info.

Photo credit: Lydia Kluge



Happy Halloween

Fall & Winter Park Hours

The park is open 6am to 10pm each day. The park office is generally open Monday – Friday, 10am to 5pm (excluding Thanksgiving, Christmas, and New Year's). Please display your annual pass or use the self-pay fee envelope system and pay with a check or cash. You may also pay at the office if someone is there.

Seasonal Information



CAMPING: Two camp loops are open and will continue to be open until it snows. Once it snows, self-contained camping is allowed in the marina parking lot where the only open restroom is. Fires must be 18" off the ground. No ground fires allowed. Camping at Rock Cliff is allowed in sites #1-7 only and in the parking lot, however you must be self-contained with the only open restroom being the one at the ramp.

ROSS CREEK: Once it snows, the trailhead at Ross Creek will be closed until Spring.

Hailstone Event Center

A natural choice for your special event.

Video:

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=g934K-hnB00>

Dates are already filling up for 2013. Call 435-649-9540 to check availability.

Go to <http://stateparks.utah.gov/conditions/jdsp> for current conditions at the park.

Reserve your cabin this summer!



VIDEO: <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=BK51JN-1iHc&list=UUEs7mmJM9PikAOSBsQC9hHQ&index=17&feature=plcp>



NEW! Utah State Parks Friends Group

This is a great organization to show your support for YOUR State Parks.

Do your part and JOIN! Go to

<http://friendsofutahstateparks.wordpress.com/> for more information.